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WEDNESDAY MORNING, AUGUST 26, 1818.

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To the friends of Humanity.

A Naged, infirm, and widowed mother, is desirous to receive information of THOMAS BURTON CARTER, an only son, concerning whom she has not heard any thing, on which reliance can be placed, for nearly three years. He removed from this place to the state of Ohio about five years ago. The last certain account she had from him, was from Cadiz in that state. He is about twenty five years of age; by trade a tailor. Vague rumour has recently pronounced him dead. A letter communicating information relative to him, directed to Henry Tutwiler, P. M. at this place, would confer a peculiar kindness on an afflicted woman.

—Editors of Newspapers generally, are intreated to give this article a place in their columns few weeks.

Harrisonburg, Rockingham Co. (Vir) July 13

Wm. Deaughn,

HAIR-DRESSER AND PERFUMER,
Royal-street, Alexandria.

H AS just received and offers for sale at his shop, a few cases of Razors, of a superior quality, for travelling, with six blades ALSO,

Ladies' and gentlemen's dressing cases Cloth brushes; hat do; hair do; nail do Shaving do; tooth do; rouge in pots Almond paste; oil Antigua; pomatum Cologne water; lavender do of superior quality; hair powder; powder puffs Naples soap for shaving; vegetable do Rose do; palm do; wash balls Shaving soap; tuck combs; pocket do Dressin,* do; pocket books Pencil cases; beaver gloves; whips Webb's N. York suspenders; French do And a variety of other articles, too tedious to mention. July 21

Hardware.

E WIS HICKS has received pr. the Mohawk, via Baltimore, a small addition to his former assortment of hardware, which renders the assortment e- rably complete and extensive.

AMONG WHICH ARE,

Shoe thread in balls, of good quality English bridle and skirting leather, of superior quality Men's and women's saddle trees Plated chain spurs Girth webbing Waldron's grain and grass sashes Sickles Patent iron tea kettles

WITH A VARIETY OF

Cutlery & Merchandise Goods, all of which are offered at reduced prices to punctual customers. June 11

Bath House.

T HE subscriber respectfully informs his friends and the public, that his Bath House will be kept open during the season, and no exertions on his part shall be wanting to give satisfaction to those who shall favor him with their custom.—Two baths, distinct from the rest, are expressly reserved for the use of Ladies—who will be waited on agreeably to their directions. Tickets will be ready for delivery on Friday next.

The subscriber has received by the Norfolk packet, a quantity of Fresh LIMES, which will enable him to keep a constant supply of PUNCH, of the best quality.

T. SHIELDS.

Carpeting.

O N hand at the auction store corner of Prince and Water streets, Holland Rush Carpets, (justly celebrated for their durability)—of different widths and qualities, which may be seen and purchased at any time.

June 18 P. G. MARSTELLER

Saddlery.

T HE Subscriber returns his grateful acknowledgments to the public for the encouragement which he has met—although small, it has met his most sanguine expectations. He has on hand a handsome assortment of articles in his line of business, and solicits a further participation in their encouragement.—He has just received a handsome parcel of English saddle and bridle leather, of first quality—and assures the public that no attention on his part shall be wanting to afford satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage.

N. B. Saddles and bridles of English leather. ROBERT F. DEGGE.

30 Dollars Reward.

R AN away from the subscriber's farm, near Piscataway, Md. on or about the 1st day of March, 1818, a dark mulatto man named Nicky, five feet ten or eleven inches high, slender made, a little deaf, speaks a little through his nose, has been in the habit of wearing rings in his ears, but may have taken them out to avoid discovery. Said negro Nick has a wife on Mr. Thomas A. Digg's land, near Fort Washington, and is probably harbored in that neighborhood. I will give the above reward of Thirty Dollars, if taken out of the State of Maryland, and Twenty if taken in the State, more than ten miles from home—if within ten miles of home, Ten Dollars.

JNO. H. BEANES.

Robert Gray,

Next door west of the corner of King & Royal Streets,

H AS just received on consignment, the following BOOKS and STATIONERY ARTICLES, viz:

Volney's Ruins; Thaddeus of Warsaw; Olney Hymns; Faneway's Letters; Murray's Reader, Grammar, Exercises and Key;

Triumphs of Temper; New York Reader, No. 1, 2, & 3;

Episcopal prayer books

Travels at Home; Cases of Conscience

Chalmers's Discourses

Accidents of Human Life

Plaideade, a Spanish Tale; Manners, a novel; Balance of Content

Letters from the Cape of Good Hope

Bonaparte's Letter to Lord Liverpool

Coxe's Female Scripture Biography

Beauties of Robertson

Harrington and Ormond

Memoira of Moreau

— Bernadotte

— Rachael Baker

Youth's Cabinet

Murray's Grammar, Abridged

Murray's, Webster's Comly's, and N

York Spelling Books

New-York Preceptor and Primer

Allison's Sermons, 2 volumes

Tales of Fancy; Poetical Chronology

Clavis Ciceronis; Tacitus

Airs of Palestine; Hubert and Ellen

Valentine's Eve; Readings on Poetry

Lord of the Isles

Sa chô; or The Proverbialist

Cowper's Poems; Comic Dramas

Paris Revisited; French War in Spain

Poet's Pilgrimage; Masonic Minstrel

Simpson's Comic Sections

Willish's Lectures

Rambach's Meditations

Sidney on Government

Warren's America; Military Tutor

Family Prayers; American Star

Sanford and Merton; Scott's Lessons

Looking Glass for the Mind

Pocket and school Bibles & Testaments

Jess' Surveying

Johnson's Dictionary, large and small

Child's Monitor; American N.-pos

History of England

Addison's Works, 6 vols. boards

Federalist; Clerk's Magazine

Columbian Letter Writer

Introduction to Reading

Episcopal Hymns, &c. &c.

Stationary:

Plain and fancy letter, superfine and common cap writing and large brown

wrapping paper; band box and bonnet

boards; playing cards; ink powder, red

and black; black morocco pocket book;

wedgewood cork and paper inholders;

lead and slate pencils; superfine English

and American drawing paper; Reeve's

colors in boxes; German and octave

futes; fife and clarionets; black sand

and sand boxes; wafers; quills; blank

checks on the Mechanics' and Farmers'

banks; bills of lading; seamen's articles;

manifests and powers of attorney; bank

books, copy and cyphering books, plain

and ruled ledgers, journals, day books

invoices, letter & common account books

in full and half binding. Orders for any

description of BLANK books executed at

a short notice; and warranted for ne-

tleness, strength and durability, equal to

any in the district. June 27

Burr Mill-Stone Making.

T HE Subscriber wishes to inform his

friends and the public, that he has

on hand a good supply of the first quality

Burr Blocks. His shop is near Col. Pe-

ton's store, where he can supply all Mil-

ler's at the shortest notice with first rate

Mill stones, and which he will warrant

equal to any in the United States, and will sell them at the most re-

duced prices—the workmanship superi-

or to any in the district.

Dec. 18 R. B. GLENN.

Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English

Grammar, Geography and the use of

Maps and globes, will be taught, toge-

ther with such other branches as the pro-

gress of the children and experience may

render expedient. The school to open

the first of the 5th month next. For fur-

ther information apply to Edward Sta-

bler, Alexandria, or to

EMMOR KIMBER. St.

Robert Gray

R ESPETTULLY inform his friends and former customers, that he has recommenced the

Bookbinding and Stationary Business,

next door to the corner of King and Royal Streets, and is prepared to execute any orders in the Bookbinding business with which he may be honored—he is also supplied on commission, with a small assortment of Stationary comprised of articles most in demand, and particularly invites the attention of juvenile customers to articles used in schools, such as Cypher and Copy books, &c. which are made of the best materials that can be procured and at the usual prices—orders from Banks or public offices for any kind of blank account books, can be executed in a style of strength and elegance equal to any in the United States. May 27

PROPOSALS for publishing by subscription, a new work, entitled

THE TREASURE OF HEALTH;

or,

A complete collection of the most valuable

secrets in medicine, for the cure of all

diseases, wounds and other accidents to

which the human body is subject; with

the method of preparing, and instruc-

tions for using, the necessary remedies.

Also, the best preservatives against the

plague, small pox, and all other kinds of

contagious diseases—Discovered after

much research and experience by the

most skillful physicians in Europe, and

employed with the greatest success; and

unknown till the present time in the United States.

Carefully collected, by a Benevolent Society, and faithfully translated from the French, and other foreign languages,

And published for the benefit of humanity,

BY LEWIS MERLIN.

= TO THE PUBLIC.

The work which is this day offered for public usefulness, ought not to be looked upon as those which a desire of gain bring forth every day among us. This is a rare and precious collection of the most valuable secrets in medicine, which the most skillful physicians have discovered after long researches, labor and experience. It is, without contradiction, the first of the kind that has ever appeared within the United States of America, and a treasure which every head of a family could not too much appreciate; as it points out the symptoms of several diseases, of which many persons are only acquainted with their names; 2d, the receipt of the quantity and quality of the drugs that are made use of; 3d, their preparations so carefully described and detailed that the least intelligent person cannot be mistaken; and finally the necessary doses and the manner of administering them. One may rest assured that all in this collection is easy to put into practice, the expense is trifling because all the simples and plants which compose the greatest part of the receipts it contains, may be found in the fields and in the gardens; in a

ring, in a short time, all the diseases and evils with which one may be affected, and at a low expense. In selecting the pupils, it is not proposed to be governed entirely by their ages, nor to require that they shall all be members of the religious society of Friends; but as the school rules will be very few in number and very simple, that none may be sent contrary to their own inclination, nor any one who would not be likely to be good examples to the other scholars, and treat them with kindness and affection.

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From a London paper.

TO A COQUETTE.

Time will steal the rosy hue
That blows so sweetly on thy cheek ;
He will dim those eyes of blue—
Quench their beams that brightly speak ;
Where thy glossy ringlets flow,
Soon his hand will scatter snow.

Age, that steals with silent tread,
All thy diabolical smiles will blight :
Many a frown will be spread
O'er thy bosom's heaving white—
Snatch, from under lips so fair,
The pearly treasure lying there.

When the ruin thou shalt view,
Of all that Love so much could prize ;
Sighs thy bosom shall subdue,
Bitter te's shall swell thine eyes ;
Thou shalt sigh and weep in vain,
Youth can never come again !

Mark, my fair, the vernal rose,
Nursing of the dews of Heav'n,
Bountiful, to air it thro's
All the sweets by nature giv'n ;
And when o'er the rich perfume,
Still it leaves its buds to bloom !

From the Charleston Times.

There is a genuine and unaffected air of prosperity and happiness in the state and character of the times—in the circumstances and condition of all classes of society in our country—that cannot fail to attract the attention of the most superficial observer, and to encourage and refresh the drooping spirit of humanity with feelings of the most cordial and unmixed delight. Borne down as it has, by the most intolerable and oppressive burthens, and writhing as it is, under the monstrous and accumulating weight of national and individual misery, in the old world, it looks with the rapture of re-kindled hope to the lovely shores and sun-bright beauties of our happier clime.—

Bitter as are the fountains, from whose foul and distempered waters, it has been forced to drink so profusely of moral and intellectual debasement, it may yet find in the pure and uncultured, the living and unadulterated spring, the Fons Bandus of the Western world, enough of that ethereal spirit of kindness and habits of accommodation, in and without which, existence wants every charm that can make its endurance desirable.

A combination of the most felicitous circumstances conspire to render our situation as a people, as perfectly happy, as the nature and condition of human society can possibly admit. Every thing around us wears a calm, clear brow, of placid, undisturbed serenity of soul. Blessed in our disposition and temper at home, and honored in our relations abroad, we sit under the shade of our vine and our olive, in the smile of Heaven and the glory of earth.—

There are none to disturb or to make us afraid. With a constitution of government, springing, as it were, from the very hearts of the people, all our political institutions are objects of the most devotional affection. Our rulers possess the confidence, the love, and the esteem of the nation. Commerce spreads her white wings to every favoring gale, and visits every distant sea. Agriculture piles its various offerings on every plain, and health scatters its fragrance on every passing breeze. We are not cursed with the cruel exactions, or crushed into nothingness by the inexorable despotism of a cold-hearted, calculating and unfeeling profligacy of power; nor are we chained to the chariot wheels of conquerors, the melancholy and distracted victims of an overwhelming military ascendancy. We are not obliged to support a soldiery, whose haughty and offending front is an insult to the national honor; nor are we taxed with contributions for the array of armies acting like centaurs upon our liberties—We have the capacity to value, and it is fortunate for us that the fatality of circumstances has not deprived us of the spirit, to protect the solid chrysolite of our national independence.

RECIPE FOR WHITE PAINT.

Take Plaster of Paris, very finely ground, put it into a common pot or kettle, and hang it over a moderate fire to boil or dry it, stir it continually, to prevent it from burning, until it boils like hasty pudding. When it is boiled or dried enough, mix it with other paint; for the first coat, about half plaster and half whiting; for the second coat, plaster with a small quantity of white lead; and for the third, which will be light, about half plaster and half lead. This makes an excellent paint, far preferable to that made of white lead for duration.

State of the Weather in Alexandria.
August 25—at 2 p.m. 85 degrees.

ALEXANDRIA:
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 1818.

LOO-CHOO ISLANDS.

[No. 6.]

O! wonder !
How many goodly creatures are there here!
How beauteous mankind is ! O brave new
world,
That have such people in't !

SHAKESPEARE.

As we have not yet had, in this country, the advantage of seeing the book, from the Reviews of which we take these extracts, we are under the necessity of taking the summary of these happy islanders' characters upon the authority of the reviewers who have read the whole, and on this point the Edinburgh critics speak thus :

"But it is not only their manners and their tempers that are thus singularly agreeable; their dispositions seem to be thoroughly amiable and gentle, and their honesty and integrity without blemish. During six weeks continual intimacy, our adventurers never saw any thing approaching to an affray, nor any punishment inflicted beyond an angry look, or the tap of a fan; and not an article of any kind was stolen, or suspected to be stolen, though every thing was exposed in a way that might have tempted persons in whose eyes most of them must have been less rare and precious. To complete this picture of the golden age, it is stated that the chiefs never once appeared, to treat the inferior people with harshness or severity; that there was nothing like poverty or distress of any kind to be seen—no deformed persons, and very little appearance of disease, and finally that they have no arms of any sort for offence or defence, and positively denied having any knowledge of war, either by experience or tradition. It is at least equally certain that they have no knowledge of, or regard for money, as they appeared to set no value whatever either on the dollars or gold pieces that were offered them by the navigators; and it was understood that any little simple traffic they carry on, is managed in the way of barter. As to their knowledge and attainments, they manufacture salt—build stone arches—cultivate their fields, for rice, millet, sugar and other crops, with great neatness—weave and stain their cotton clothes with singular taste—and embroider their girdles and pouches with a great deal of fancy and elegance."

As the name of Madera has been mentioned in a way that must have interested the reader, something more will be expected on this subject. "The most remarkable person that appeared, (says the Edinburgh Review,) was a chief of the name of Madera, who for several weeks dissembled his high rank, and in the habit of the lower orders, attracted the notice of every one by his singular curiosity and intelligence, and ingratiated himself with every one by his extreme good humor, kindness and habits of accommodation. In

English as to be able to converse very intelligibly, and on many occasions to perform the part of an interpreter; and in a shorter time he had so perfectly familiarised himself with their usages, as to have no appearance whatever of awkwardness or embarrassment in the society of the travellers."

The great interest, (says captain Hall) which Madera took in the English, and the curiosity he always expressed about our customs at home, suggested the idea of taking him with us to England, where he would have been an interesting specimen of a people so little known; and he also might have carried back knowledge of the greatest use to his country. When it was proposed to him, he paused for some minutes, and then shaking his head, said, "I go Ingerere,—father, mother, child, wife, house, all cry—not go; no, no, all cry!"

The parting scene between these amiable people and their affectionate visitors, shows this distinguished character in a still more engaging light, and is altogether, (says the reviewer) exceedingly touching and pleasing. It does one's heart good to read such passages as the following—though it is painful to think how seldom they can be written with truth, and how rare it is to find a brave and hardy seaman like captain Hall, able to do them such justice in the dinner.

their way to the frigate, but went on when I told them that I was just going to the Alceste myself. In the mean time, Madera came on board, with the sextant in his hand; he was in such distress that he scarcely knew what he was about. In this distracted state, he sat down to breakfast with us, during which he continued lighting his pipe and smoking as fast as he could—drinking and eating whatever was placed before him. After he had a little recovered himself, he asked what books it would be necessary to read to enable him to make use of the sextant: I gave him a nautical almanac, and told him he must understand that in the first instance, he opened it, and looking at the figures, held up his hands in despair, and was at last forced to confess that it was a hopeless business. He therefore put the sextant up, and bade us farewell. Before he left the Lyra, he gave Mr. Clifford his pipe, tobacco pouch and a crystal ornament, saying, as he held out the last, "you go Ingerere, you give this to your child." Mr. Clifford gave him a few presents in return, and expressed his anxiety to be considered his friend. Madera, with the tears streaming down his cheeks, placed his hands several times upon his heart, and cried, "Eedoochee, ee-doochee!" my friend, my friend! To me he gave a fan and a picture of an old man looking up at the sun; drawn, he said, by himself; he probably meant in his picture some allusion to my usual occupation at the observatory. After he had put off in his boat, he called out, "Ingerere noo choo si-bitte yootoosa."—I shall ever remember the English people. When he went to the Alceste, one of the chiefs remarked that he had neither his hatchet matches nor his robes, and told him that it was not respectful to wait upon captain Maxwell for the last time in his ordinary dress, particularly as all the others were in full array. Madera, who poor fellow had been too much concerned about other matters to think of dress, was shocked at this apparent want of politeness, and went immediately to apologize to captain Maxwell, who took him by the hand, and gave him a present, telling him at the same time that he was always too happy to see him to notice what dress he had on. In the mean time the anchor was hoisted up, and every thing being ready for making sail, the chiefs rose to take leave. Ookoomo wished to say something, but was too much affected to speak, and before they reached their boats, they were all in tears. Madera cried bitterly as he shook hands with his numerous friends, who were loading him with presents. The chiefs, as well as the people in the numerous canoes which had assembled round the ships, stood up, and continued waving their fans and handkerchiefs till we were beyond the reefs, and could see them no longer."

To be continued.]

From the National Intelligencer, Aug. 24.
MEMBERS OF THE 18th CONGRESS.

Henry Clay, of Kentucky, is re-elected without opposition.

Thomas Metcalf is elected a member from Kentucky, by a considerable majority, over Mr. Desha, the present member.

Thomas Butler is elected in Louisiana, to succeed Mr. Robertson, who declined.

John C. Breckinridge is elected in Kentucky, on the 26th ult., to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Clay, and Col. R. M. Johnson, in testimony of the high respect for their public services. Previous engagements, however, prevented Col. Johnson from being present at the dinner.

[Ibid.]

FATAL ACCIDENTS.

Mr. Alexander Melvin, a very promising and much respected youth, of Georgetown, was killed on Friday last by the accidental discharge of his gun, while he was crossing the river on a shooting excursion. On the same day, a little colored boy, who, with many others, had climbed upon the outer works of the public baths, to witness the ascent of a balloon from the yard of the adjoining hotel, accidentally removed some covering from the large boiler in which the water is heated for the baths, and fell into it. He was immediately taken out, but having plunged entirely under the boiling water, he was so badly scalded that he survived but a few hours.

[Ibid.]

From the New-York Evening Post.

COUNTERFEITING.

The perfection to which this art has arrived, and the extent and success with which it is practised, is truly alarming to the community, and calls loudly for public vigilance and attention. There is not a day that passes, during which we do not hear of the arrest of some villain in our neighborhood for counterfeiting, or find abroad, some new denomination of counterfeit paper. There is not a mail that arrives, which does not bring us some dozen fresh instances of the prevalence of this abominable species of crime, and the ingenuous devices resorted to by swindlers to impose upon that part of the community who are the least able to sustain the loss.

Until within a few years, the science of counterfeiting has been so imperfectly understood, and the spurious paper so clumsily executed, that none but poor judges of bank-paper, and comparatively but few of these, were imposed upon: but within a few months, the case has been greatly altered. Engravings are now so accurately

executed, and signatures imitated with such precision, that the best judges, and frequently the banks themselves, have been deceived. Thus, no person, unless he makes the study of bank-paper his business or profession, can safely pay away, or receive, the paper currency of our country.

This deplorable state of things certainly renders vigilance among our police officers in large towns, and the officers and intendants of justice in the country, doubly necessary. Indeed, it is much to be regretted that before this late period, some general and uniform system or plan of operations has not been adopted throughout the United States, for the detection and apprehension of counterfeitors. And again, on the part of the banks, as they are all interested in a great degree, it is very singular that some method has not been devised to render the counterfeiting of any of their bills extremely difficult, if not impossible.

"GLOUCESTER, August 20.—As I thought it would be interesting to you to hear from Capt. Rich, and as he is at some distance, I will give you some particulars of his cruise. On Monday last, he sailed from this in a large whale boat, and two smaller ones, well manned. My brother commanded one of the boats. Yesterday they met the Serpent off Squam, and chased him about seven hours, when they closed with him. He passed directly under the bows of Capt. Rich's boat; immediately threw the harpoon, which pierced him about two feet; he drew the boat a considerable distance, but went with such velocity that he broke that part of the boat through which the rope passed, and drew out the harpoon. I hope they will have another opportunity before they give up the chase. He has a sword on him, and no bunches on his back, but his skin is smooth, and looks similar to an eel. In the attack, Capt. Rich had one of his hands wounded. These particulars I have in a letter from my brother.

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"SAML. DEXTER."

"At a meeting of the trustees of the Alexandria Academy, held on the 21st of August, 1812.—The following address to the citizens of the town, was adopted by the Board, and ordered to be published.—

The trustees of the Alexandria Academy, impressed in common with their fellow-citizens with the great and lasting importance of education, especially to a people whose fundamental principles of government are those of equal liberty, justice and order, on the support of which rest all our republican institutions, and from which all public as well as private happiness, have at different times made various efforts to place the Academy upon a more useful and respectable establishment, than it has heretofore been. They have, with regret seen their well meant efforts fail, for want of that support which all who wish well to their beloved offspring ought to afford.

The trustees cannot continue their efforts to sustain the Academy, without other means than those they have heretofore possessed. They would therefore respectfully represent to their fellow-citizens of the town, the necessity there is of some effort on their part to enable the trustees to make such a change in the house and institution, as will render them generally useful.

The form of the house is inconvenient; it is in such a state of decay as to be unfit for use, and is a discredit to the town. The institution requires certain necessary apparatus, and additional instructors. To effect these objects, funds are necessary, which cannot, as experience has clearly shown, be raised solely from the price of tuition.

It is confidently believed that the trustees in making this appeal to the parental feelings and liberality of the citizens of the town, will not appeal in vain, especially when they reflect, that by placing the Academy in their own town on a respectable footing, they will be relieved in a great measure from the necessity of sending their children to distant places for instruction, and having embodied it in their report, let them conclude by submitting certain plans for the consideration of the general convention, taking care that a joint fund for the detection, arrest, and prosecution of counterfeitors, shall constitute one of the propositions. Such meetings, organized for such purposes, could not but be productive of great benefit to the banks and to the community, and the banks owe it to the community to adopt some plan to guard them against the extensive system of counterfeiting which is now in operation.

[Democratic Press.]

From the New-York Daily Advertiser. Mr. Canning, during the late election in Liverpool, in one of his addresses to the electors, appears to have brought fully into action the risible faculties of his hearers, by advertising to the cries for Parliamentary Reform.—Mr. Canning said—

"Of the plans of Parliamentary Reform on which, in my place in Parliament, I have had occasion to comment, I have commented on none with more indignation and rebuke than on that which, admitting the whole population to a vote, presumptuously excluded women from a right of suffrage, falsely denominated universal. (Much laughter.)—I do not mean to say, for I will not flatter even the fair part of my auditors, at the expense of truth (at least before so large an assembly as this)—I do not mean to say that even the association of the softest sex in the new system of elective franchise would entirely reconcile me to an extension of it, which, I think, would be full of mischief. But there is one plague which I am quite ready to give, and which I trust, they will think satisfactory; that I never will consent to any plan of universal suffrage in which they are not included. (Applause and laughter.)"

WAGES IN SCOTLAND. Farm servants for six months, with bed, board and washing found, from 6 to 6 pounds; women's wages from 3 to 4 pounds. Labourers by the day, with victuals, receive one shilling, without victuals one shilling and sixpence.

[Ibid.]

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS, MESSRS. LANG, TURNER & CO. NEW-YORK.

Merchant's Hall, Boston, Aug. 21, 1 p.m. Captain Rich, who went from here a few days since, in pursuit of the sea serpent, writes the concern as follows:

"Squam River, Aug. 20th, 12 o'clock—

"After several unsuccessful attempts, we have at length fastened to this strange thing called a sea serpent. We struck him fairly, at the harpoon soon drew out. He has not been seen since, and I fear the wound he received will make him more cautious how he approaches these shores. Since my last yesterday, we have been constantly in pursuit of him by day; he always keeps a proper distance from us, to prevent our striking him. But a few hours since, I thought we were sure of him, for I bore the harpoon into him as fairly as ever a whale was struck; took from us about 20 fathoms of warp before we could wind the boat, with as much swiftness as a whale. We had but a short ride when we were all loose from him, to our sore disappointment.

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"Squam River, Aug. 20th, 12 o'clock—
After several unsuccessful attempts, we
at length fastened to this strange thing
called a sea serpent. We struck him fairly,
but the harpoon soon drew out. He has
not been seen since, and I fear the wound
he received will make him more cautious
how he approaches these shores. Since
my last yesterday, we have been constantly
in pursuit of him by day; he always
keeps a proper distance from us, to prevent
our striking him. But a few hours since, I
thought we were sure of him, for I hove the
harpoon into him as fairly as ever a whale
was struck: took us about 20 fathoms
of warp before we could wind the boat,
with as much swiftness as a whale. We
had but a short ride when we were all loose
from him, to our sore disappointment.

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SAM'L DEXTER."

At a meeting of the trustees of the Alexandria
Academy, held on the 21st of Au-
gust, 1818—

The following Address to the citizens of the
town, was adopted by the Board, and ordered
to be published—

The trustees of the Alexandria Acad-
emy, impressed in common with their
low-citizens with the great and lasting im-
portance of education, especially to a people
whose fundamental principles of govern-
ment are those of equal liberty, justice
and order, on the support of which rest all
our republican institutions, and from which
flow as well as private happiness,

have at different times made various efforts
to place the Academy upon a more useful and
respectable establishment, than it has
heretofore been. They have with regret
seen their well meant effort fail, for want
of that support which all who wish well to
their beloved offspring ought to afford.

The trustees cannot continue their ef-
forts to sustain the Academy, without other
means than those they have heretofore pos-
sessed. They would therefore respectfully
represent to their fellow-citizens of the
town, the necessity there is of some effort
on their part to enable the trustees to make
such a change in the house and institution,
as will render them generally useful.

The form of the house is inconvenient;
it is in such a state of decay as to be unfit
for use, and is a discredit to the town. The
institution requires certain necessary appa-
ratus, and additional instructors. To effect
these objects, funds are necessary, which
cannot, as experience has clearly shown,
be raised solely from the price of tuition.

It is confidently believed that the trustees
in making this appeal to the parental feel-
ings and liberality of the citizens of the
town, will not appeal in vain, especially
when they reflect, that by placing the Acad-
emy in their own town on a respectable
footing, they will be relieved in a great
measure from the necessity of sending their
children to distant places for instruction, at
a much greater expense than that at which
they could be educated at home, and in too
many instances at the very dear price of the
loss of their moral principles.

The law incorporating the Academy de-
clares that all persons, and their respective
heirs, who shall contribute five pounds to
the use of the Academy, shall have the right
to vote at all elections of trustees.

Trusting that every citizen who values
the blessing of education, the good of society,
and the happiness and respectability of
his children, will contribute liberally to-
wards so desirable an object, the trustees
have appointed some of their own body to
wait upon their fellow-citizens with a sub-
scription paper for that purpose.

By order,

WILLIAM H. WILMER, President.

The following gentlemen constitute the
Board of Trustees for the present year:
Rev. Wm. H. Wilmer, Messrs. Hugh Smith,
Rev. Oliver Norris, George Taylor,
Rev. Elias Harrison, John Janney,
Hon. William Cranch, John Janney,
Messrs. Edm. L. Lee, Anth' y. Creas,
Thos. Stow, and Robert Vowell,
J. Hoffman, and I.P. Thompson.

August 24 1w

Exchange Coffee-House, MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA...AUGUST 2.

ARRIVED.

Schr. Adeline, Tupper, 13 days fr Boston;
plat'r & lime, to Lawrason & Fowl.

Schr. Augustus, Weeks, 10 days fr. Fa-
mouth, Mas., with a cargo of Plaster,
T. H. Howland.

CLEARED.

Schr. Eliza Ann, Thorndike, Boston.

Salome, Eldrid, do.

Thomas, Spalding, Providence.

Steam Boat Report.

The Washington arrived at S P M.

Passed a full rigged brig and an Amer-

ican Brig, bound up.

John H. Ladd & Co.

HAVE just received for sale,
25 cases men's and boys' fine and
coarse shoes, of superior quality.
15 puncheons Demerara, St Croix and
3 boxes lemon juice [Antigua rum
8 boxes fresh lemons
20 half lbs mess beef
50 kegs excellent small twist tobacco
30 " " large " "
16 lbs leaf tobacco
August 26 2w

Miniature Painting.

C. SCHRODER

BEGS leave to inform the ladies and gen-
tlemen of Alexandria, that he will be
seen all the remainder of this month at Mr.
ATKINSON's, as heretofores.

August 25 31*

For Freight Coastwise.

The substantial and fast sailing
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Who has for sale 145 tons of plaster; 165
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LINDSAY & HILL.

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For Newport, Providence,

Or any eastern port.

The packet sloop SUPERB, Cof-
fin master, burthen 400 bbls. and is
now ready to load. For freight or passage
apply to

JOHN H. LADD & CO.

August 25 2w

For New-York.

The fast sailing sloop ATLANTIC, Thomas Woodward master,
is a regular packet, and will sail in 3 days.
For freight or passage, having good accom-
modation, apply to the master on board
at Erwin's wharf.

N. B. If freight should be offered, the
sloop will stop one day at Norfolk.

August 24

For Boston.

The good schr. MARY SPEAR,
John Spear, junr. master, burthen
500 bbls has part of her cargo provided—
For freight of remainder or passage apply to

JOHN H. LADD & CO.

Who have just received from Providence 5
bbls Antigua and St. Croix rum.

August 22

For Boston.

The schr ELIZA ANN, captain
Thordike, is now loading, and will
sail 2 days: 300 bbls will be taken on
freight, if offered immediately. Apply to

LAWRASON & FOWLE.

Aug 23

For Boston.

The new and substantial schooner
THOMAS, Josiah Spalding master,
sails well and has half her cargo enga-
ged. For freight of remainder or passage,
apply to

JOHN H. LADD & CO.

August 19 2w

For Boston.

The new and substantial schooner
LUCINDA, William H. Gaines master,
burthen 650 bbls. and is now ready to
commence loading. Apply to

JOHN H. LADD & CO.

August 17

Lime.

FIVE hundred and fifty-one casks Tho-
mastone lime, received per schr. Mary
Spear, and for sale

DUNBAR & TOWNSEND.

August 22 31

Landing.

FROM on board the Norfolk packet and
for sale.

12 bbls Antigua Rum

August 20 NEWTON KEENE

For hats...fresh supply.

THE subscriber has just received a fresh
supply of Brewster's 1st quality bea-
ver hats, from N. York; and a quantity of

Low priced Fur Hats.

that will suit country merchants, which he
will sell low by wholesale. The above, in
addition to his former stock, renders his as-
sortment general and complete.

THOMAS L. MARTIN.

August 21 31

Notice.

TRACY & EMERSON have dissolved
partnership. All those who have claims
against the former, are requested to present
them forthwith. The business will be
conducted in future by Emerson, who will
spare no pains to give satisfaction.

GEORGE D. TRACY.

JOHN S. EMERSON.

August 24 31

Land for Sale.

I WILL sell from 150 to 300 acres of land,
part of the farm on which I live.—On
said land there is a log house, with two
rooms on a floor, a meat house, with several
other small buildings, an excellent ap-
ple orchard, peaches, pears, quinces, dam-
sons, &c.

DANIEL DULANY.

August 24

For Sale or Rent.

THAT valuable property called CON-
WAY'S WHARE, with the Ware-
houses thereon fronting on Union-street.
The warehouses will be rented separately
if required. For terms apply to

WM. HERBERT, Jr.

August 25

Public Sale.

ON FRIDAY next, at 10 a. m. will be
sold at the Store-house of FRANCIS
MARSHALL, corner of King and Royal streets,
without reserve, all his stock in trade, con-
sisting of Groceries, viz;

Wines

Brandy

Rum

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Sugars

Spices, &c. &c.

ALSO,

His lease of fourteen months on the store-
house. Terms made known at the place.

P. G. MARSTELLER,
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HOUSES, LANDS, &c.
Public Sale.

ON Wednesday, the 8th day of October next, I will offer for sale at Port Tobacco, if not previously disposed of at private sale.

Woodberry's Hope,

lying on Potowmack River, containing about 360 acres, having wood enough on it to pay for it. The soil is of an excellent quality. Terms made known on the day of sale.

F. H. REEDER,
Charles co. Md. August 5 1780

For Sale,

UNDER an act of the Legislature of Virginia, passed on the 21st day of February, 1818, all that part of a tract of land lying in the county of Fairfax, and commonly called Retirement, to which the widow and heirs of the late Walter D. Brooke are entitled; as well their interest in that part which has been allotted to Ann Brooke for her dower, as that part of which the said widow and heirs are now in possession. The sale will be made at public auction on the premises near where the stage road crosses Dogues Run, on Thursday the 17th of September next, if fair, if not the next fair day. The terms are one half cash, the balance on a credit of twelve months.

WILLIAM H. FOOT,
BENJAMIN M. BROOK, Comrs.
August 7 1781

For Sale,

THE SULPHUR SPRINGS,
ABOUT eight miles from Martinsburg, Berkeley County, formerly occupied by Minghini, and now kept by Brown.—This estate consists of about

420 Acres of Land,

already in good cultivation, and susceptible of high improvement. The springs are much resorted to, and the boarding-house establishment is extremely profitable. The buildings have undergone considerable repair.

As all those disposed to purchase will, I presume, visit the property, further particulars are deemed unnecessary.

H. S. G. TUCKER.
Winchester, July 18 2m

Land for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale a tract of 80 acres of land, on the Colchester road, five miles from Alexandria, adjoining the lands of Haywood Foote and Dennis Johnston. The greater part of this tract is fine meadow land, abundantly supplied with water. Also one other tract of 261 acres, on the Ravensworth road, about 6 miles from Alexandria, and one mile from the first mentioned tract, adjoining land of Thos. Janney and Mr. McPherson: the greater part of this tract is in wood, the soil good and highly susceptible of improvement from the use of plaster. If these lands are not sold before the first of January next, they will then be for rent.

CHARLES SIMMS.
June 18 ws

600 acres of Land for sale.

THIS Tract is situated in Westmoreland county, Virginia, adjacent to Mr. Garnett Hunter's Plantation, and contiguous to the waters of the Potomac. The neighborhood is good—water excellent, and very desirable situations for building. A considerable proportion of the land is well timbered, besides a good deal of cedar, pine and other wood, sufficiently convenient to make it an object for those who may be disposed to send it to market—it is nearly equidistant from Baltimore, Washington and Norfolk.

Any one wishing to purchase may apply to ROGER JONES,

Alexandria.
Also, a very valuable LOT, containing 140 acres, being a part of the late Mr. John Turberville's tract—within 6 miles of Georgetown, 3 from the Little Falls Bridge, and near to the turnpike leading from thence to Wileys, in Fairfax county, Va. A great proportion of this land is exceedingly well timbered, and that part which is not, is so recently cleared as to be in an active state for cultivation, and already in a productive condition. For terms, apply to PHILIP C. JONES, in Leesburg, Va. or to R. JONES.

March 20

Bolting Cloths.

THE subscriber has this day received, a large and elegant assortment of Bolting Cloths of a superior quality, which will be offered for sale at the store of Messrs. Butts & Cawood, King-street, Alex'a, where he intends keeping a complete assortment future.

Sept 6 AMOS ALEXANDER.

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, April Term, 1818. Henry Boswell vs. The representatives of John Webster, deceased, and against Resin Webster.

ON the petition of Henry Boswell, a rule is granted him against the representatives of John Webster, deceased, and against Resin Webster, to show cause on the 1st day of the next term, why a piece of ground situated in the town of Alexandria, late the property of William R. Webster, should not be sold, and the money divided among the representatives of the said William R. Webster, according to law.

It is ordered, that this rule as to Resin Webster, be published in one of the Alexandria papers for eight weeks successively. A true copy from the records.

Test. EDM. J. LEE, C. C.
July 25 2m

Plaster Land.

THE subscriber offers for sale a FARM of 450 acres, being part of the tract wherein he resides, in Fauquier county, Va. More than one-third of this Farm is in timber, and is land of the richest quality. The cleared land is in good heart, having had the advantage of a clover lay, and no soil being more susceptible of plaster improvement. He would also dispose of a lot of 50 acres, the whole of which is in timber, and is first-rate tobacco and meadow land. On this lot has been erected a well built saw mill, contiguous to which at the confluence of Broad and Mill Creek, is a most valuable site for a merchant mill. No property is better worth the attention of a person wishing to engage in such business. On the first mentioned farm is a commodious overseer's house, a new barn, stables, corn houses and negro quarters, and about 20 acres of timothy meadow.

THOMAS TURNER,
Near Hay Market Post-Office.
June 26 2m

District of Columbia, to wit:

County of Alexandria,
April Term, 1818.

IN CHANCERY.

William Yeaton, Robert Young, John G. Ladd, John Tucker, Philip G. Marsteller, Cuthbert Powell, Richard Veitch & Company, Nathaniel Watties & Company, Thomas Vowell, Jr. and Ferdinand Marsteller—Complainants,

venerus

David Lennox, Elias Boudinot, Robert Smith, James C. Fisher, Joseph Sims, Archibald McCall, Paul Seimen, Samuel Coates, Henry Pratt, George Fox, Pascal Hollingsworth, John Stiles, Thomas M. Willing, Horace Binney, George Harrison, Abijah Hammond, William Bayard, Oliver Walcott, John Roberts, and Richard M. Scott, trustee of Elisha Janny, and Elizabeth Wilson and Robert J. Taylor, administratrix and administrator of James Wilson deceased—Defendants.

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CHARLES SIMMS.

June 18 ws

Charles County Court,

March Term, 1818.

BILL IN CHANCERY.

Robert Perry

venerus

James B. Dunnington, Robert Dunnington, Francis Taylor and Elizabeth B. his wife, James Brigham and Catharine his wife, William Simonds and Esther his wife, heirs of William Dunnington.

The Complainant alleged in his bill that the Respondents have in possession the real estate of their deceased father Wm. Dunnington, whose personal estate was not sufficient for the payment of his debts. Wm. Dunnington's estate is indebted to the complainant in a large sum of money. The object of the bill is to procure a decree for the sale of the land, for the payment of the debts remaining unpaid by the personal estate. Some of the heirs of Wm. Dunnington are non-residents. It is therefore ordered that the Complainant, ordered that he cause a copy of this order to be inserted in the Alexandria Gazette for the space of three months, to the intent that the absent defendants may have notice of this application, and of the subject and object of the bill, and may be warned to appear in this court in person or by a solicitor, to shew cause, if any there be, wherefore a decree should not pass as prayed.

Teste, JOHN BARNES, Cik.

June 27 2m

Dr. Thomson's System of Chemistry.

IN FOUR VOLUMES OCTAVO.

THE preceding edition of Dr. Thomson's Chemistry, had acquired so much reputation both in England and upon the continent of Europe, that a new edition, comprising the new facts with which the science had been enriched, and the new views of the subject which extended knowledge had suggested as indispensable, was eagerly looked for by the scientific world. A new edition has accordingly appeared, wherein the former edition of five volumes has been condensed into four.

All the new discoveries, and all the new theories of Chemical Phenomena, have been considered and embraced in the present improved edition: so that it is indispensable to the chemical student, as presenting the only condensed view of the changes and alterations in chemical doctrine, which the discoveries of the last ten years have suggested. No apology therefore can be necessary for reprinting such a book in this country; for the press does not furnish a substitute for it. But, there is so much theoretical suggestion—so much abuse calculation—so much fact of dubious authority—and so much dubious validity—that notes and illustrations are absolutely necessary, not merely to render the book more useful, but more intelligible.

Under these impressions, I thought fit to write notes in illustration (and sometimes in contradiction) of the work itself, rather than to make any abridgment of it. Those who wish to know the modern views of chemical science, must peruse it; and to very many who will be anxious to study it, elucidation will be necessary. I have endeavoured to supply these, to the best of my ability; regardless whether my own opinions are in dissonance or coincidence with those of my author; leaving to the reader to decide between us.

The work will be published, with notes and illustrations, in four volumes 8vo.

THOMAS COOPER, M. D.

CONSULTANT.

I. The work will be printed on a superfine paper, with a new small pica letter; and will be published early in the ensuing summer.

II. It will be illustrated with a number of cuts, of which several have been necessarily added to the London edition.

III. It will be delivered to subscribers at \$12—to non-subscribers at \$14, in boards. The London edition sells for \$18.

JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

July 6 mthd3dA

Potomac Company.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the annual meeting of the stockholders will be held at Mr. Brown's tavern in Alexandria, on Monday the 3d August next, at 11 A.M. for the purpose of electing a president and four directors for the ensuing year, and transacting other business of the company.—And that the president and directors will hold a meeting at Mr. Simms's tavern in Georgetown on Monday the 10th of August next, for the purpose of appointing the following officers, to wit—A person to act as treasurer and clerk of the works; one to act as toll gatherer at Harper's Ferry; one to act as toll gatherer and gatekeeper at the great falls, and one to act in the same capacity at the little falls.

By order of the board,

JOSEPH BREWER, Treas.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 22 2m

SAM'L CARR, Treas.

Leeburg, June 22 2m

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THE subscriber will apply to the bank of Leeburg Turnpike Road Company, will please to take notice, that their first instalment, required by the president and directors of said company, of ten dollars on each share of stock by them subscribed, was due and payable on the first day of Sept. last—the second instalment of ten dollars on each share on the first day of Jan. and the third instalment of ten dollars on each share will be due on the first day of July next, and it is punctually paid on or before the 15th of Aug. next, they will be dealt with as the law directs.

P. G. MARSTELLER.

Ship Timber, &c.

THE subscriber, residing on Mattawan Creek, in Charles County, Maryland, will dispose of standing timber, a large quantity of first rate White Oak Ship Timber, Wharf Logs, Timber suited for Staves, Plank, Scantling, or other purposes, in any quantity; likewise several thousand cords Oak Wood. Purchasers will find it to their advantage to apply as the terms will be moderate, and there is navigable water to the spot.

WM. MASON.

May 8 2m

Charles County Court,

March Term, 1818.

ON application to Charles County Court by petition in writing of John Smith, of Charles county, for the benefit of the act of assembly for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors, passed at November session 1805, and the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned therein, a schedule of his property and a list of his creditors on oath, so far as he can ascertain them, being annexed to his petition, and the court being satisfied by competent testimony that the said John Smith has resided two years immediately preceding the time of his application, in the state of Maryland, and being also satisfied that the said John Smith is in actual confinement for debt, and the said John Smith having entered into bond with sufficient security for his personal appearance in Charles county court, to answer such allegations as his creditors may make against him—it is therefore ordered and adjudged that he said John Smith be discharged from imprisonment; and that by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some one of the newspapers edited in the District of Columbia, once a week for two months successively before the third Monday of August next, for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to show cause why the said John Smith should not have the benefit of the several solvent laws as prayed. Given under my hand this 20th day of June 1818.

Teste, JOHN BARNES, Cik.

June 27 2m

Was Committed

To the jail of Alexandria county as a

runaway, on the 10th inst a Negro man, who calls himself WILLIAM WILSON; says he is free born, and was raised in New-York; he is about 5 feet 2 inches high, full face and eyes, well set, black complexion, and about 22 years of age. He has been in the district about one year. The owner is requested to come and prove his property, and to remove him from the jail. AN'W ROUNSAVELL.

June 20 2m

Hamilton's Worm destroying Lozen-

ges,

Which have within sixteen years past

caused an immense number of persons of

both sexes of every age and in every

situation, of various dangerous complaints

arising from WORMS and from obstruc-

tions or foulness in the stomach and bow-

els.

This medicine bears no analogy what-

ever to others of similar titles so com-

monly complained of as operating with

violence;

on the contrary a particular ex-

cellence of this remedy is its being

suited to every age and constitution.

It contains nothing but what is perfectly in-

nocent & so mild in its operation that it

cannot injure the most delicate pregnant

ady or the tenderest infant of a week old

should no worms exist in the body; but

will without pain or griping cleanse the